REMARKS

In the application, claims, 1, 2, 6-18 and 20-23 are pending; claim 2 is allowed. In the

present Response, Applicant has amended Claim 15 to correct a clerical error. Support for this

claim amendment is found in Figures 19A, 19B and 24. No new matter has been introduced.

The foregoing amendment addresses the Examiner's 35 U.S.C. 112 rejection of claim 15

and places the claims in better form for appeal. In connection herewith, Applicant files a Notice

of Appeal, appealing the remaining rejections to the claims raised by the Examiner.

The above amendment and remarks, place the application and claims in condition for

appeal and entry of said claim amendment is earnestly solicited. Should the Examiner have any

further point of objection, the Examiner is urged to contact the undersigned by telephone so that

a prompt and mutual agreement with respect to claim limitations can be reached.

Respectfully submitted,

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